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Re: Application of David MONTAGUE, Harry MONTAGUE  
MANUALLY HEIGHT ADJUSTABLE AND ROTATABLE STEERING  
ASSEMBLY FOR BICYCLES  
Assignee: MONTAGUE CORPORATION  
Our Ref. A8452

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising fifty-three (53) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and twenty-four (24) sheets of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney will be submitted at a later date.** Also enclosed please find a NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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	Title	MANUALLY HEIGHT ADJUSTABLE AND ROTATABLE STEERING ASSEMBLY FOR BICYCLES
	Attorney Docket Number	A8452

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